



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: )  
Roma, Norbert )  
Serial No.: 09/551,014 ) Group Art Unit: 2141  
Filed: April 18, 2000 ) Examiner: Pollack, Melvin H.  
For: A Method And Apparatus For )  
Comparing Scores In A Vector Space )  
Retrieval Process )

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